ments of the comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

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Notifications of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTRY AFFAIRS (SHRI S.R. BALASUBRAMONIYAN): Madam I lay on the Table—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notification of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) under subsection (2) of Section 3 of the All India Services Act, 1951:—

(1) G.S.R. no. 34, dated the 27th January, 1996 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Fixation of Cadre Strength) Third Amendment Regulations, 1995.

(2) G.S.R. No. 232, dated the 8th June, 1996 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Pay) Second Amendment Rules, 1996.

(3) G.S.R. No. 234, dated the 8th June, 1996 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Fixation of Cadre Strength) Second Amendment Regulations, 1996.

(4) G.S.R. No. 235, dated the 8th June, 1996 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Pay) Third Amendment Rules, 1996.

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II. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) Notification G.S.R. No. 206 dated the 18th May, 1996, publishing the Union Public Service Commission (Exemption from Consultation) Amendment Regulation, 1996, under proviso to Article 320 of the Constitution of India.

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III. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training):—

(1) G.S.R. No. 204, dated the 18th May, 1996, publishing corrigendum to the Notification G.S.R. No. 78(E), dated the 5th February, 1996.

(2) G.S.R. No. 231, dated the 8th June, 1996, publishing corrigendum to the Notification G.S.R. No. 77(E), dated the 5th February, 1996.

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Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Oil India Limited, Assam and related papers

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BALU): Madam I lay on the Table—

I. A copy each in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under subsection (1) of section 619 A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Oil India Limited, Assam, for the year 1994-95, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the above Company.

II. Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (I) above.

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उपसभापति: पेपर्स ले करने हैं ..(व्यवधान) बैठिए। आप बैठिए तो। पेपर्स ले करने हैं।

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE SPICES BOARD

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI BOLLA BULI RAMAIAH): Madam, I move the following Mottion:—

"That in pursuance of clause (b) of sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Spices Board Act, 1986 (10 of 1986), read with sub-rule (1) of rule 5 of the Spices Board (Amendment) Rules, 1987, this House do proceed to elect in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one member from among the members of the House, to be a member of the Spices Board."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU) Madam, I move the following Motion:—

"That the House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha do agree to nominate seven members from Rajya Sabha to associate witl. the Committee on Public Accounts of the Lok Sabha for the term ending on the 30th April, 1997, and do proceed to elect in such manner as the Chairman may direct, seven members from among the members of the House to serve on the said Committee."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESHWARLU): Madam, I move the following Motions:—

"That this House resolves that the Rajya Sabha do join the Committee of both the House on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes for the term ending on the 30th April, 1997, and do proceed to elect, in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, ten members from among the Members of the House to serve on the said Committee."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA (KARNATAKA): Madam, I want a clarification. This is coming today for election and tomorrow we are adjourning. That means in the whole intersession period, the Rajya Sabha cannot participate in the meetings of the Public Accounts Committee or the other Committees because our Members can't be elected until the end of August.

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (PONDICHERRY): Let them notify it by tomorrow.

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA: It is coming so late, Madam, that this election is going to take place only after the recess period which means that any meeting held during the recess for $3\frac{1}{2}$ weeks, the Rajya Sabha won't be represented and we would be out of it.

SHRI SATISH AGARWAL (RAJASTHAN): Madam Deputy Cahirperson, there is a valid point in what my collcague, Mrs. Margaret Alva has said. It could have been brought earlier so that we could have associated ourselves with the Public Accounts Committee and other Committees. The only way is, if the hon. Chairman directs, the elections can take place tomorrow. ..*(Interruptions)*...